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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Katsuyuki SUZUKI, et al.

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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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This is a request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

## Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

## Previously Submitted:

- ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on May 8, 2003
- ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on

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- ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ☒ Other: Preliminary Remarks; European Communication and Search Report PTO Form 1449 and 11 references

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